



RECREATIONAL USE ATTAINABILITY ANALYSES  
PUBLIC COMMENTS

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May 21, 2008 – August 31, 2008

**Little Flat Creek**  
**WBID #2393**

Class C  
Barry County

Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
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## Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: MRS. Nancy S. Dotson

Address: Rte 3 Box 258 Mowett MO / (on Hwy 88 at Easyville on Little Flat Creek)

Phone Number: (417) 442-7910 E-mail address: 8

Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393

What county is the stream in? BARRY

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming in our

deep spot & water fights with kids / Shallow older well for our  
household use within 200 yds of stream

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

West of the Jerry Henderson driveway (in the creek) downstream all the way  
to the Sonny Lamp farm East of the Hwy 88 bridge in Little Flat Creek. map →  
From NF 1107 to NF 1135 on the creek.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming / Shallow older

well within 200 yards of stream - household use

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Same as above -

Signature Mrs Nancy S Dotson Date 8/20/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,  
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name) Little Flat Creek 23932. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Barry3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Purdy

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

Upstream of the State Hwy 88 bridge at NF0060 to NF1107 and downstream to NF1135

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☒ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

☒ All/more than 5

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☒ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

☒ 3

14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

☒ 3

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

☒ all of above

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

We have been property owners at this location for 20 years and DNR has never supervised the Purdy sewage treatment plant satisfactorily. Effluent always escapes into Little Flat Creek. We can visually satisfy ourselves of this problem every time the pond overfills in periods of heavy rainfall.

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

OVER →



My mother & father-in-law, Ray & Patricia Dotson live across the State Hwy BB from us at the corner of BB and NF 2060.

They get their well water from an older shallow well less than 200 yds from Little Flat Creek and have experienced off taste, high flocculant levels, and E. coli at several times in the past. Their grand kids play in the creek and wade in their grandma's inflatable pool filled from the tap.

First Name: Nancy Last Name: Dotson  
Address 1: RR#3 Box 258 Address 2:   
City: BARRY State: Missouri Zip Code: 65708-9343  
Phone Number: ( 417 ) 442-7910 ext.  E-mail:

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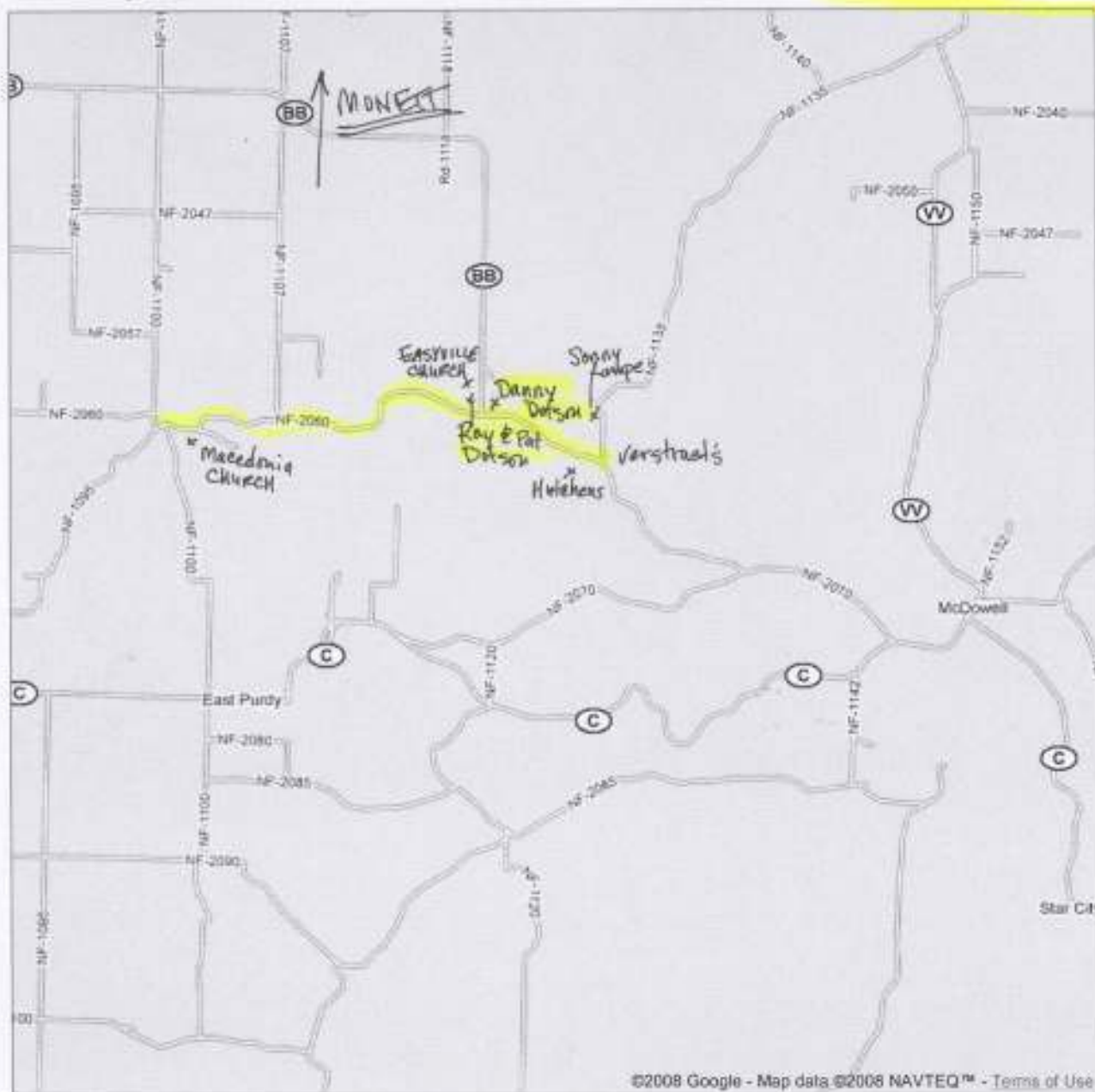
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my family's usage area- swimming  
wading  
& drinking water from  
shallow wells



Photos taken June 2008  
 of Little Flat Creek at Easyville  
 where stream crosses bridge at Hwy BB - Danny Dotson's property East of BB



our kids swim and fish here  
 notice the tire swing

from BB Bridge looking East, downstream  
 to our swimming hole



## Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Mr. Ray Dotson & Patricia Dotson  
Address: RRte 3 Box 257 MOKETT MO 65708 (EASYVILLE ON HWY 88)  
Phone Number: (417) 442-3839 E-mail address: Ø  
Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393

What county is the stream in? BARRY  
2394  
2391  
2387

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? We have an older shallow well for our household use. When the stream is down our water pressure is down as well.

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

East upstream to NF1100 at the deep spot near Macedonia Church and downstream past Henderson's corner at the little bridge. All the way down to NF1135 at Hutchens drive way & Sonny Lamp's bridge on 1135.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

map  
appended

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Playing in the water and enjoying a nice summer day with the cousins / water fights

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From 88 Bridge down to McDowell to Little Flat - to Big Flat also - Easyville Church

Signature Mrs. Patricia Dotson Date 8/23/08

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## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name) Little Flat Creek
2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Barry
3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Pindy
4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range; Latitude/Longitude, etc).

East of Hwy 88, upstream to the Macedonia church swimming hole at NF 1100  
downstream past state Hwy 88 bridge to the bridge at Sunny Camp's house on  
NF 1135

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☒ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

all of above / more than 5

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

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13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

more than 5

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15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

more than 5

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all of above / more than 5

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

The water from Little Flat Creek has come up into our fields at Easyville many times this year. I have had water into my husband's bedroom through the back door. Water under the Easyville church and into my son's fields. My two

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

Grandkids were canoeing over the fields and vehicles parked in the field were flooded 4' under to the windshields. There are logs into the osage orange trees in the creek that are of great size - they were floated there and will be cut up for fire wood.

First Name: Patricia Last Name: Dotson  
Address 1: RR# 3 Box 257 Address 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: Monett State: Missouri Zip Code: 65708  
Phone Number: ( 417 ) 442 - 7910 ext. \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: JD

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Danny Dotson's place on little Flat Creek at Earlyville  
and State Hwy 88 - Earlyville, MO



downstream from bridge at State Hwy 88  
and Earlyville  
← our kids swim here  
notice the tree growing







WBID-2393

My family's usage area - MR. & MRS. Ray Dotsm -  
for swimming, wading  
and household water use from shallow wells



# Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Ruby L. Wilks

Address: 501 Edina, Rt 1, Box 369 Purdy Mo., 65734

Phone Number: (417) 442-9149 E-mail address: NONE

Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393-2394-2391  
2387

What county is the stream in? Barry

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?  
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☐ Canoeing ☒ Trapping

Other: I played in this stream since I was 7 yrs. old. (73 yrs) My children played there - My Mother & her brothers & 12 kids (generational farm) where pure wastewater system is located.

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? We had two wells - 1 at house, one at creek, where we piped water to house. Creek is Spring fed - all of Little Flat Creek is Spring fed. The Churches baptised in Creek.

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

All of the creek from C Hwy down to McDowell + Big Flat. My Dad's family all were raised on Big Flat Creek with 10 Bro + Sisters - So was in Mom - 12 Bro + Sisters. All of the area DNR wants to exempt. A big swimming hole (creek) do past Quarry (water still running there - Everyone swam there - baptisms were there. Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Since 1975

Yes ☒ No ☐ Public swimming hole; Baptisms were there; There was a baptism at Bill Roller Lodge Creek in August of this year.

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☐ Canoeing ☒ Trapping Other: Wells - home use Baptisms - rural Churches

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Baptisms, kids playing - diving, Playing, drinking water - where all people living along creek have well

Inner tubes & water fights.

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From Hwy C Bridge 3/4 mi E of Purdy down creek Little Flat 2393, 2394, 2391, to McDowell 2387. The Low Water bridge at Flat Creek (2070) has been used by public for years (still is) always running stream - becomes impassable many times a year.

Signature Ruby L. Wilks

Date 8/23/08

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I do not understand why DNR & Clean Water Commission would even entertain the idea of exempting any streams in the state of Mo or any State in the U.S.

The Clean Water Act requires MONR to review States Water standards at least once every 3 years.

Exempting these streams from Clean Water mandates would allow sewer Agencies and other facilities to release bacteria-laden water into these waterways without disinfecting the wastewater they discharge.

I'm not against farmers - I was raised on a farm. I love the farm. I'm not against business; however, I am against ~~Expos~~, treatment plants, & businesses who don't treat their waste & discharge into rivers, lakes, streams, oceans, and pollute & ruin the nations soil & water. These people could control their waste; but, why should they waste their money when DNR & EPA let them pollute for free?





## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name) Little Flat Creek
2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Barry Co. Mo
3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Purdy Mo
4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

- Starting at C Hwy bridge (3/4 mi E of Purdy) runs down through Clifton Farm - Chicken Cafe at Creek - on N through Ruby Wilkes 80 acre farm taken by city of Purdy for lagoon - WW Treatment on down L. Flat 2393, 2391, Full Rd 2070 to McDowell to Big Flat Low Water Bridge + Big Flat Creek
5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
- ☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

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- Diving, Baptisms - when Church activities; school and 4th grad I was baptised.
7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities? more than 5

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

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- Baptisms - Wells for drinking water canoes
9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities? more than 5

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream? more than 5

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

- All of the above
12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

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- All of above
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- canoes
15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities? more than 5

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream? more than 5

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

Anytime it rains 2-3-4-5-6-10-16" all this stretch described above floods. Impassible at C Hwy - Purdy all way down creek to McDowell Low Water Bridge at McDowell washes cars off bridge & down stream.

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

Ruby Wilkes 417-9144; 501 Edina, Rt 1, Box 369 Purdy, Mo 65734

On Apr 24, 1975 it rained 16" (called it a 100 yr flood) water was from hillside to the house where my parents lived & owned farm (where Purdy Lagoon is located) It washed the Eastview Church off foundation - 500 feet Dutton house

First Name: | Ruby | Last Name: | Wilks |  
Address 1: | 501 Edina, Rt 1, Box 369 | Address 2: | |  
City: | Purdy, Mo 65734 | State: | Missouri | Zip Code: | 65734 |  
Phone Number: | (417) 442-9149 | E-mail: | |

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Kindy Wicks  
Farm SE of Purdy 1 1/2 miles  
now used as Purdy  
Wastewater Treatment  
Plant.

This 80 acre farm belonged to  
my Mother; she got from her  
father. The farm was over  
100 years old when City took  
farm.

The location was not suitable  
The DNK agreed.

Sinkholes, Karst topography  
2 bottom less wells on property

1. Paired tons of concrete,  
gravel into each well  
& there was no bottom

2. Indian Graves are on my  
property - Civil War - Indians  
"Trail of Tears"

3. Indian graves was found  
recently by City Wastewater  
Treatment men

4. Running raw sewage into  
creek from Purdy Lagoon  
Knocked large holes in E end;



still doing same

5. Pollution from lagoon; checker  
litter on fields; herbicides, pesticides  
cattle, crops, interference with  
irrigation systems on land by  
Arnaud's farm equipment

6. Arnaud pays kickback to City  
officials

1. they turn on irrigation for  
his crops (corn especially)  
2. a night & run so many  
hours when its best for his  
corn.

7. There's pollution from  
Arnaud's farming lagoon going  
into Creek

8. There's pollution from Dang  
Clifton's chicken Cops to the  
South of lagoon running pollution  
into Creek.

9. The Creek is also spring-fed



In 1992, the City of Purdy + DNR, took my family's (over 100 yr old farm passed down from my Mother's father) 80 acres of choice land for the Purdy Mo City's wastewater lagoon.

This property is located  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mi from Purdy SE of town. The City took my farm by Eminent Domain. Took the entire 80 acres. We were in Court several days at Barry Co, Cassville, Mo & had a jury trial in Springfield, Mo where jury ruled in my favor.

The comparative price for my land should have been \$2,000 per acre. I got 70,000; should have been \$160,000 for land. The house, barn, etc is bought separate; must pay for moving etc.

The City asked me to donate the property. The City met none of the legal guidelines in the State Facility Plan for taking property by Eminent Domain. The Judge, Judge Henry, Newton Co, Neosho, Mo took a \$25,000 payoff - Had a heart attack & got kicked off his judgeship.

The Court harassed me, had me stalled, I had to have guards in



Court; cited me for contempt  
 of Court (because Judge ruled in my  
 favor - then recinded; let Pardy  
 go to City Hall get proof to win case -  
 which I proved Attorney made false  
 documents & they admitted in Court  
 along with City Clerk, who is presently  
 City Clerk.)

For this I received 6 mos in jail  
 + had to apologize to all TV area  
 coverage from Spitz & Joplin View.  
 They assigned me an Attorney & a Judge  
 up North. This Judge ruled in my  
 favor.

When the lagoon was completed;  
 Greg Perkins, DNR Springfield -  
 declared Lagoon "Non Workable -  
 due to Sink holes, Harst topography  
 Indian gravesites by lagoon;  
 2 bottomless Wells - 1 at House site  
 & other one on NE part of Creek;

The Lagoon did not function  
 properly - ran over berm - couldn't  
 correct this. So City, (with Perkins  
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 coming from.



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60-75 head of cattle to lagoon  
after harvesting corn, hay, etc  
for cattle to eat.

The cattle drink out of lagoon

Arnaud is also subsidized by  
Govt FSA - Cassville.

According to Facility Plan for  
building lagoons issued by State,  
that Me & City had to follow  
to build lagoon properly & legally,  
States:

1. After lagoon is completed, the grass  
must be kept short
2. The land cannot be farmed until  
after 20 yrs
3. No chicken litter
4. No pesticides, herbicides
5. No cattle on land
6. After 20 years are up & lagoon is  
no longer used; then any crops,  
or hay must be destroyed  
for at least 2-3 cuttings
7. This must be done before the



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Hay or land can be used for  
Any cattle or dairy, or seed or  
crops used for human consumption

8. Milk Companies are not allowed to  
buy milk from farmers who do this.  
The milk companies still buy his milk
9. Arnaud does all these things
10. He irrigates all corn & crops  
with lagoon water at my farm
11. Arnaud harvest around  
\$300,000.00 worth of crops each  
year off lagoon land  
which is all illegal  
in every aspect

I have turned all this in to DNR  
EPA & to many other agencies  
ever since sewer was built.

No one is interested in law; the  
danger in using crops for human  
consumption.

All DNR does is ignore whole  
situation. Treats me rude. Does



nothing

Labels Me A Troublemaker

The City & DNR tried to make me lose everything I had.

I was forced to represent myself in court or I would have lost everything

The City stalked me; humiliated me, tried to arrest me at council meetings, all with approval of DNR & EPA.

Now the City is in trouble with lagoon with no money to correct the problems

(Article about City Lagoon enclosure





Matt Blunt, Governor • Doyle Childers, Director

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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June 24, 2008

### LETTER OF WARNING

The Honorable Robert Moser, Mayor  
City of Purdy  
101 Front Street  
P. O. Box 216  
Purdy, MO 65734

Dear Mayor Moser:

Enclosed you will find an inspection report for the wastewater treatment facility serving the City of Purdy. I believe the report is self-explanatory and trust you will address any unsatisfactory features noted, as well as any recommendations contained therein.

The report notes the samples collected during the inspection and three months of Discharge Monitoring Reports indicate non-compliance with Missouri State Operating Permit (MSOP) daily maximum limitations for nitrate in monitoring well # 1. This non-compliance constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Law sections 644.051.1(3) and 644.076.1 RSMo. Because of continued non-compliance with MSOP it will be necessary for the City of Purdy to retain the services of a professional engineer registered in the State of Missouri to evaluate the design, operation, and maintenance of the lagoon system and make recommendations to bring this facility into compliance with MSOP limitations and conditions. **This engineering report and a commitment by the City of Purdy to implement the recommendations must be submitted within 120 days of receipt of this letter.**

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It was also noted the continued operation of the wastewater treatment facility was not under the direct supervision of a certified operator. This also constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Commission Regulations section 10 CSR 20-9.020(2)(B) and (D).

Within 45 days of receipt of this report please advise this office as to what steps have and will be taken to achieve compliance with all violations noted in the report.

If you have questions, please contact Gregory S. Perkins, P.E. by calling 417-891-4300 or via mail at Southwest Regional Office, 2040 West Woodland, Springfield, Missouri 65807-5912.

Sincerely,

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OFFICE



Kevin Hess, Chief  
Water Pollution Section

KH/gph

Enclosures

c: Ms. Catherine Hodges, Water Pollution Control Branch - Enforcement  
Mr. Teddy McIntire, Operator

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MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
REPORT ON INSPECTION  
WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY SERVING  
CITY OF PURDY  
MO-0043222  
BARRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

June 24, 2008

INTRODUCTION

On May 1, 2008, Gregory S. Perkins, P.E. of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources – Southwest Regional Office conducted a routine inspection of the wastewater treatment facility serving the City of Purdy. The purpose of the inspection was to assess compliance with the Missouri Clean Water Law, Missouri Clean Water Commission (MCWC) regulations and the facility's Missouri State Operating Permit (MSOP). The inspection also served to promote proper operation and to provide technical assistance where necessary.

WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY DESCRIPTION

The facility operates under MSOP number MO0043222. The treatment facility for outfall 001 is composed of a single cell aerated lagoon with approximately 55 acres of land used for irrigation. The system has a Design Flow capacity of 120,000 gallons per day. Sludge is retained in the lagoon until final disposal. The facility is a no-discharge facility within the Little Flat Creek basin. The facility has a Design Population Equivalent of 1,500. Outfall 002 is a single cell overflow lagoon which serves a lift station that pumps to outfall 001. The facility has a design flow of 27,000 gallons per day. The facility has a design population equivalent of 450. The MSOP for this facility expires on December 23, 2008.

COMPLIANCE EVALUATION

1. As part of the inspection, a review of the facility's Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMR) was conducted. It was determined that the City of Purdy exceeded MSOP permit limitations for nitrate as nitrogen in monitoring well # 1 for the months September 2007, January 2008, and February 2008. This non-compliance constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Law sections 644.051.1(3) and 644.076.1.
2. The report of sample analysis for samples obtained during the inspection indicates the facility was in non-compliance with MSOP limitations for nitrate as nitrogen in monitoring well #1. This non-compliance constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Law sections 644.051.1(3) and 644.076.1 RSMo.
3. The City of Purdy failed to report the noncompliance with MSOP permit limitations as required in Part I of the Standard Conditions. Failure to notify the Department of Natural Resources constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Law Section 644.076.1, RSMo.
4. The operation of the wastewater treatment facility is not under the direct supervision of an operator certified by the State of Missouri-Department of Natural Resources. The required level of operation for this facility is a D certification.



5. The City of Purdy has not reporting the operational testing as required in 10 CSR 20-9.010(5).
6. The City of Purdy is not submitting Discharge Monitoring Reports on a monthly basis in accordance with the revised MSOP.
7. The City of Purdy's collection system receives excessive flows due to inflow and infiltration (I&I) from storm events.
8. Observations made of the lagoon serving Outfall 002 indicated the facility was leaking.

#### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE EVALUATION

9. The City of Purdy does no Quality Assurance/Quality Control for laboratory analysis done onsite.

#### COMMENTS

The results of sample analysis for samples obtained during the inspection and three months of Discharge Monitoring Reports (September 2006, January 2008, and February 2008) indicate non-compliance with Missouri State Operating Permit (MSOP) daily maximum limitations for nitrate in monitoring well # 1. This non-compliance constitutes a violation of Missouri Clean Water Law sections 644.051.1(3) and 644.076.1 RSMo. Because of continued non-compliance with MSOP it will be necessary for the City of Purdy to retain the services of a professional engineer registered in the State of Missouri to evaluate the design, operation, and maintenance of the lagoon system and make recommendations to bring this facility into compliance with MSOP limitations and conditions. **This engineering report and a commitment by the City of Purdy to implement the recommendations must be submitted within 120 days of receipt of this letter.**

In accordance with the Standard Conditions of the City's MSOP any noncompliance must be reported to the Department of Natural Resources – Southwest Regional Office within 24 hours by phone and within five days in writing. This would include any bypassing in the collection system if there is any.

The operation of this system is still not under the direct supervision of a certified operator have a minimum Class D license. **Within 30 days please provide this office with the name of a certified operator possessing a Class D license to be responsible for the operation and maintenance of this system.**

Operational testing is required by 10 CSR 20-9.010(5), copy enclosed. The minimum requirements include flow weather conditions, dissolved oxygen, and pH of the lagoon water. This information is required to be gathered twice per week and reported on the monthly Discharge Monitoring Report.

The City of Purdy is not submitting Discharge Monitoring Reports as required in the MSOP that was modified on November 26, 2007. It is understood that the City of Purdy met with staff from the Southwest Regional Office to determine the reporting requirements from the original permit. Please note the requirements have changed from quarterly sampling and reporting to monthly. It is imperative that the City of Purdy carefully review any draft or issued MSOP to ensure compliance with all limitations and conditions. **Revised discharge monitoring reports for December 2007, January 2008, February 2008, and April 2008 must be submitted within 45 days of receipt of this report.**

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Quality Assurance/Quality Control procedures are very important in being able to justify laboratory analytical results. This would include analyzing a zero standard and a Winkler titration for dissolved oxygen and known standard and daily calibration for pH. Documentation of the date, time, results of analysis, and signature or initials of the analyst must be **maintained in ink** and kept on file for inspection purposes.

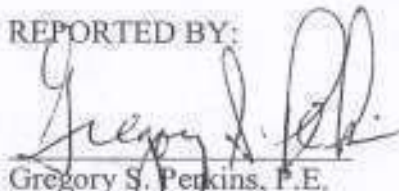
The dissolved oxygen and pH meters are temperature compensated. The temperature reading capabilities of both meters must be checked against a certified thermometer. Documentation of the date, time, results of analysis, and signature or initials of the analyst must be **maintained in ink** and kept on file for inspection purposes.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

1. **Within 120 days of receipt of this report submit a engineering evaluation of the lagoon irrigation system with recommendations for compliance with all MSOP permit limitations, conditions Missouri Clean Water Law, and Regulations.**
2. Report all noncompliance and bypassing in accordance with the city's MSOP Standard Conditions.
3. **Within 30 days provide this office with the name of a certified operator possessing a minimum Class D license to be responsible for the operation and maintenance of this system.**
4. **Revised discharge monitoring reports for December 2007, January, 2008, February 2008, and April 2008 must be submitted within 45 days of receipt of this report. Submit monthly Discharge Monitoring Reports as required by the MSOP.**
5. Report the results of the required operational testing with the monthly Discharge Monitoring Report.

6. Continue with an aggressive program for the location and repair of sources of I&I into the collection system. Develop and submit within 90 days an Inflow and Infiltration Assessment and Reduction Plan and an Inspection and Maintenance Program.
7. Evaluate the user rates for the sewer system and adjust as necessary.
8. **Within 120 days submit an engineering evaluation of the lagoon leakage and compliance issues at Outfall 002 with a commitment by the City of Purdy to eliminate the problem.**
9. Perform Quality Assurance/Quality Control analysis including monitoring the temperature reading capability of the laboratory equipment.

REPORTED BY:



Gregory S. Perkins, P.E.  
Environmental Engineer  
Southwest Regional Office

APPROVED BY:



Gale L. Roberts, P.E., Chief  
Water Pollution Engineering Unit  
Southwest Regional Office





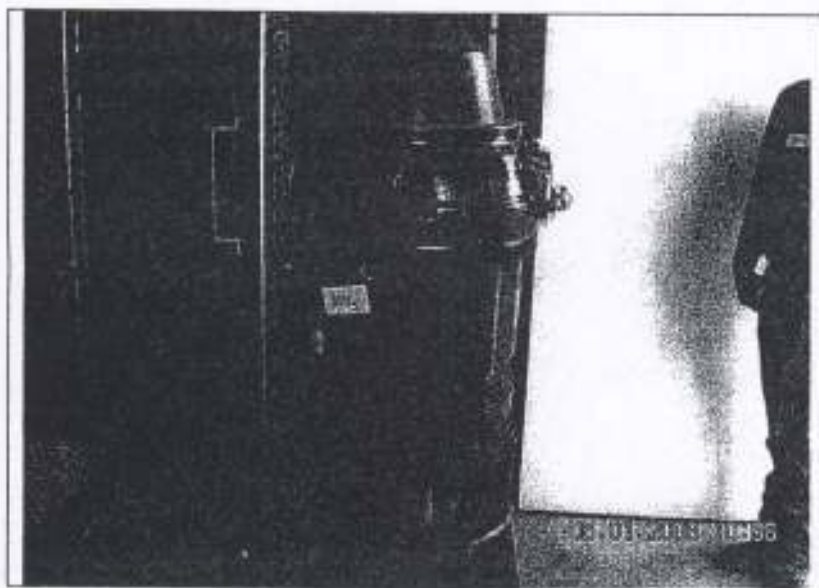
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Photographer: Gregory S. Perkins, P.E.  
Comments: Outfall 001 Lagoon



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Comments: Lagoon depth marker and aerators

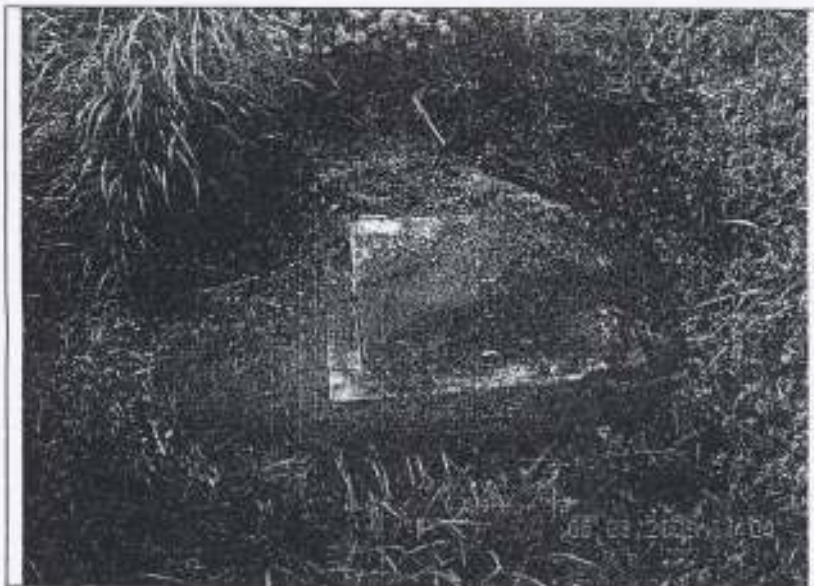


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Comments: Land application site

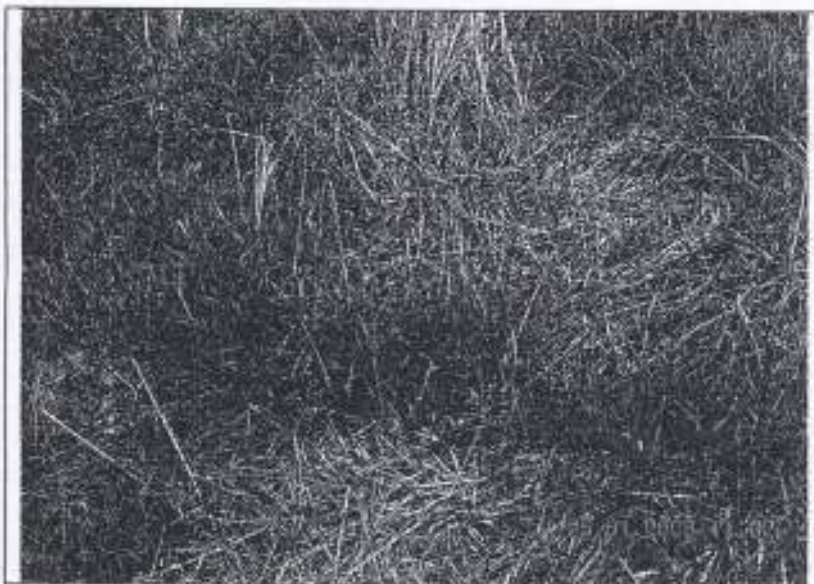


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Comments: Irrigation pump





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Comments: Manhole with inflow of stormwater



Location: City of Purdy Wastewater Treatment Facility  
Photographer: Gregory S. Perkins, P.E.  
Comments: Leakage area from lagoon at Outfall 002



Location: City of Purdy Wastewater Treatment Facility  
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Comments: Outfall 002 Discharge pipe with discharge





Sample: 080502003-04

Facility ID: MO0043222

Site:

Purdy WWTF

Customer #: 0806046

County:

Sample Reference ID:

Collect Date: 5/1/2008



Matrix: Nonpotable Water

Collector: Gregory S. Perkins

Affiliation:

SWFO

Collect Time: 12:30 PM

Test	Parameter	Result	Qualifier	Units	QC BatchID	Method
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Biochemical Oxygen Demand	56.5		mg/L	Q80513-03bod	SM 5210-B
Non-Filterable Residue	Non-Filterable Residue	44.0		mg/L	Q80506-01nfr	SM 2540-D

The analysis of this sample was performed in accordance with procedures approved or recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

## Qualifier Descriptions

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| 01 Improper collection method                        | 11 Estimated value, matrix interference             |
| 02 Improper preservation                             | 12 Insufficient quantity                            |
| 03 Exceeded holding time                             | 13 Estimated value, true result is > reported value |
| 04 Analyzed by Compact Laboratory                    | 14 Estimated value, non-homogeneous sample          |
| 05 Estimated value, detected below PQL               | 15 No Result - Failed Quality Controls Requirements |
| 06 Estimated value, QC data outside limits           | 16 Not analyzed - related analyte not detected      |
| 07 Estimated value, envyle outside calibration range | 17 Results in dry weight                            |
| 08 Analyte present in blank at > 1/2 reported value  | 18 Sample pH is outside the acceptable range        |
| 09 Sample was diluted during analysis                | 19 Estimated value                                  |
| 10 Laboratory error                                  | 20 Not analyzed - Instrument failure                |

*Corrected for  
Comrie Biers*

Comrie Gleasing, Laboratory Manager  
Environmental Services Program  
Field Services Division





Missouri Department of Natural Resources

## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

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From 1135 bridge to "C" Hwy Bridge on Little Flat Creek and 1/4 mi downstream to confluence of Flat Creek Low water bridge on "C" Hwy. My school students use creek at Hwy 1095 and 100 and downstream to entrance of quarry. Friends use creek at downstream of Hwy BB & 2060. Historic Spout is located 2/10 mi. on 2060 and contributes to

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We own 90 acres on Little Flat Creek, it has been in our family for 3 generations. It is our Grandchildren's heritage. Little Flat Creek is used for human recreation, drinking well water, livestock watering, aquatic habitat & food source, wildlife habitat and drinking water. Little Flat Creek is located in a water shed of a 100 c+ dairy operation, Purdy WWTF, approx

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First Name:  Last Name:

Address 1:  Address 2:

City:  State:  Zip Code:

Phone Number: (  )  -  ext.  E-mail:



**John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR**

08/21/2008 01:00 PM

To dsherburne@moenviron.org

cc Anne Peery/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR

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Subject Fw: Stream Usage Survey Response

John Hoke  
Environmental Specialist IV, TMDL Unit Chief  
Water Quality Monitoring & Assessment Section  
Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Phone: (573) 526-1446 Fax: (573) 522-9920

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To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>

cc

Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form:

**wpp-stream-usage**

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**Quask**

StreamName:	Tracie Snodgrass
StreamCounty1:	Barry
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing Snorkling/Skin Diving
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading Boating
StreamCity:	Purdy
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes



StreamUseComments:	From 1135 bridge to "C" Hwy Bridge on Little Flat Creek and 1/4 mi downstream to confluence of Flat Creek Low water bridge on "C" Hwy. My school students use creek at Hwy 1095 and 100 and downstream to entrance of quarry. Friends use creek at downstream of Hwy BB & 2060. Historic Spout is located 2/10 mi. on 2060 and contributes to aquifer of LFC2393.
OthersRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	99
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	99
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ContactFirstName:	Tracie & Mike
ContactLastName:	Snodgrass
ContactAddress1:	7561 Hwy V V
ContactCity:	

ContactState:	Verona
ContactZipCode:	Missouri
ContactPhoneArea Code:	65769
ContactPhonePrefix:	417
ContactPhoneNumber:	847
ContactEmail:	4639
	mtnmaid@mo-net.com

Double click the attachment to show the data in the form.  
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Purdy

WWTF

# Little Flat Creek

WBID 2393  
(rec. 8-21-08)

Morett

1045/1100



Flows 1.5 mi  
downstream  
To



From: Tracie  
Snodgrass

1107 Farm Rd

Water flows to 6/10 mi  
down stream



6/10 mile below 1107



Spoat Spring  
1862  
Historic

B-B Hwy

2060



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**John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR**

08/19/2008 11:03 AM

To Anne Peery/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR  
cc  
bcc  
Subject Fw: Stream Usage Survey Response

John Hoke  
Environmental Specialist IV, TMDL Unit Chief  
Water Quality Monitoring & Assessment Section  
Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Phone: (573) 526-1446 Fax: (573) 522-9920

----- Forwarded by John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR on 08/19/2008 11:02 AM -----



**dnrweb@mail.mo.gov**

08/05/2008 12:58 PM

To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>  
cc  
Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form:

**wpp-stream-usage**

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**Quask**

StreamName:	Little Flat Creek
StreamCounty1:	Barry
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading
StreamCity:	McDowell
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes
StreamUseComments:	

	We use the stream from the Little Flat Bridge in McDowell up about fifteen miles upstream.
OthersRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	10
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	10
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	10
OthersRecreationUsePerYear:	5
OthersSecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading
OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	5
OthersChildrenUsePerYear:	5
AdditionalComments:	Our FFA Chapter have conducted stream team activites on in Little Flat Creek for over ten years. I teach my students that it is DNR's responsibility to protect our streams as well as the citizens of the state. Please continue to protect this stream from pollution for our coming generations. I grew up in McDowell and feel very passionate about our heritage there. The stream was a part of our everyday life.
ContactFirstName:	Tamra
ContactLastName:	Sunby
ContactAddress1:	9863 Lawrence 2210
ContactCity:	Monett
ContactState:	Missouri
ContactZipCode:	65708



ContactPhoneArea  
Code:

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ContactPhoneNum  
ber:

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ContactEmail:

tsunby@monett.k12.mo.us

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"Tamra Sunby"  
<tsunby@monett.k12.mo.us>

08/19/2008 02:03 PM

To "Anne Peery" <anne.peery@dnr.mo.gov>

cc

bcc

Subject Re: Stream Usage Survey

Anne,

I guess I was thinking fifteen miles by way of the road. I don't have a map, but I will try and explain it. My personal use has been about a mile above and below the Little Flat Creek bridge at McDowell. It is hard for me to judge distance exactly. I do know of people who have swam, waded, etc. around and below the bridge on Farm Road 1135. I hope that clarifies my survey for you. I did see a picture of a boy swimming up farther in the Joplin Globe. Close to the Macedonia Church. I still would hate to see any of it taken off the protected list because it is still a part of the watershed. At this point all streams should be protected.

Sincerely,

Tamra Sunby

----- Original Message -----

From: "Anne Peery" <anne.peery@dnr.mo.gov>

To: "Tamra Sunby" <tsunby@monett.k12.mo.us>

Sent: Thursday, August 14, 2008 12:28:19 PM GMT -06:00 US/Canada Central

Subject: Re: Stream Usage Survey

Good to hear from you, Tamra. Actually, there are two distinct watersheds involved. Calton Creek goes into Little Flat Creek to Flat Creek to the James River. Carney Creek also goes into Flat Creek, but much nearer its mouth. Capps Creek goes into Shoal Creek which joins the Spring River in Kansas.

My questions still hold. You stated, "We use the stream from the Little Flat Bridge in McDowell up about fifteen miles upstream." Maybe you are talking about Flat Creek? In our state database we consider only 5.5 miles of Little Flat Creek to have water in it year round (and it may be only pools that support aquatic life in the summer upstream of Calton Creek). Further than 5.5 miles upstream is considered a "wet weather" stream, that is, it only has water in it when there is rain. If you know otherwise, that is information we need so that our records accurately reflect what is actually true in the creek.

Could you look again at my questions below? Can you describe where you recreate (and others)? Using road crossings and distances? Maybe you could send me a map of where exactly it is that you recreate. You can make one on one of the many Web sites (Google, Yahoo, TopoZone, etc), or draw one by hand or have someone else make one or photo copy part of a topographic map...your choice. You can fax it or mail it to me. Any information you can provide to show me exactly where you recreate and/or know of others recreating will be very useful. Again, we conducted the UAA of that part of Little Flat Creek starting at Calton Creek and going upstream for 2 miles.

Thanks,  
Anne Peery

Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
PO Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102



Office: 573-526-1426  
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"Tamra Sunby" <tsunby@monett.k12.mo.us>  
08/14/2008 11:45 AM

To "Anne Peery" <anne.peery@dnr.mo.gov>  
cc  
Subject Re: Stream Usage Survey

----- Original Message -----

From: "Anne Peery" <anne.peery@dnr.mo.gov>  
To: tsunby@monett.k12.mo.us  
Sent: Wednesday, August 13, 2008 4:05:57 PM GMT -06:00 US/Canada Central  
Subject: Stream Usage Survey

Anne,

On the Stream Usage Survey that I filled out on line, I didn't specify a specific part of Little Flat Creek. The list of streams that I saw that were being reviewed stated Little Flat Creek and Capps Creek along with several others. It is all part of the watershed isn't it?

Tamra Sunby

Ms Sunby,

We are reviewing all the comments we have received telling us how Missouri citizens use their creeks and I am trying to pin down exactly where swimming and wading, etc., occur.

Regarding the Stream Usage Survey you submitted on Little Flat Creek in Barry County: The lowest 3.5 miles of the creek is already classified for swimming (public, well used areas). The portion the Use Attainability Analysis was conducted on starts at Calton Branch and goes upstream for 2 miles. Are there swimming holes or other places that people swim in that stretch? From your comment, I am assuming that wading and fishing occur there...and probably even further upstream, since you said "15 miles upstream of the Little Flat Bridge in McDowell". Please clarify.

Thank you for your comments and help,

Anne Peery  
Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Developer  
Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
Water Protection Program  
573-526-1426  
anne.peery@dnr.mo.gov  
Anne,



Missouri Department of Natural Resources

## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use)

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name:  Last Name:

Address 1:  Address 2:

City:  State:  Zip Code:  -

Phone Number: (  )  -  ext.  E-mail:



## Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: MRS. Nancy S. Dotson

Address: RR# 3 Box 258 Mowett MO / (on Hwy 88 at Easyville on Little Flat Creek)

Phone Number: (417) 442-7910 E-mail address: 8

Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393

What county is the stream in? BARRY

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming in our

deep spot & water fights with kids / Shallow older well for our  
household use within 200 yds of stream

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

West of the Jerry Henderson driveway (in the creek) downstream all the way  
to the Sonny Lamp farm East of the Hwy 88 bridge in Little Flat Creek. map →  
From NF 1107 to NF 1135 on the creek.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☒ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☒ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming / Shallow older

well within 200 yards of stream - household use

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Same as above -

Signature Mrs Nancy S Dotson Date 8/20/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,  
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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## Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name) Little Flat Creek 23932. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Barry3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Purdy

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

Upstream of the State Hwy 88 bridge at NF0060 to NF1107 and downstream to NF1135

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☒ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

more than 5

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

☒ All/more than 5

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☒ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

3

14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

3

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

☒ all of above

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

We have been property owners at this location for 20 years and DNR has never supervised the Purdy sewage treatment plant satisfactorily. Effluent always escapes into Little Flat Creek. We can visually satisfy ourselves of this problem every time the pond overfills in periods of heavy rainfall.

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

OVER →



My mother & father-in-law, Ray & Patricia Dotson live across the State Hwy BB from us at the corner of BB and NF 2060.

They get their well water from an older shallow well less than 200 yds from Little Flat Creek and have experienced off taste, high flocculant levels, and E. coli at several times in the past. Their grand kids play in the creek and wade in their grandma's inflatable pool filled from the tap.

First Name: Nancy Last Name: Dotson  
Address 1: RR#3 Box 258 Address 2:   
City: BARRY State: Missouri Zip Code: 65708-9343  
Phone Number: ( 417 ) 442-7910 ext.  E-mail:

Thank you for taking time to complete our stream use survey. We appreciate your interest and involvement in protecting and preserving the quality of Missouri's waters. If you have questions or additional comments, please contact John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, at 1-800-361-4827 or (573) 526-1446, by e-mail at [cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov](mailto:cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov), or by mail at P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0176.

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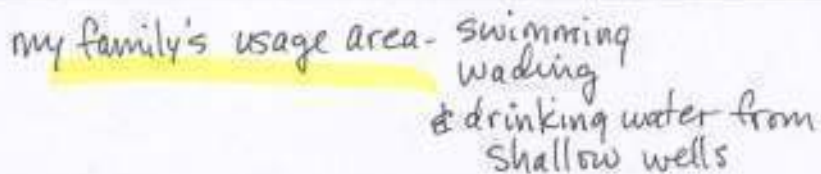
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E-mail: [cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov](mailto:cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov)





Photos taken June 2008  
 of Little Flat Creek at Easyville  
 where stream crosses bridge at Hwy BB - Danny Dotson's property East of BB



our kids swim and fish here  
 notice the tire swing

from BB Bridge looking East, downstream  
 to our swimming hole





# Recreational Use of Your Stream

PROTECTION PROGRAM

Name: Douglas Scott Hunnell

Address: 506 Lawrence 2240 Pierce City Mo. 65723

Phone Number: (417) 489-1772 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393/2371

What county is the stream in? Barry

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving  
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? \_\_\_\_\_

all of the above

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

various pts from spring on Dyer farm to low water bridge at Hwy C.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving  
☒ Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☒ Trapping Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Tipping over canoe -

All of the above can cause ingestion

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Signature Douglas Scott Hunnell Date 07-30-08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102, or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: [john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov](mailto:john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov)

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# Recreational Use of Your Stream

RECEIVED  
AUG 26 2008  
WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Name: Ralph & Bethal Williams  
Address: 17007 State Hwy C  
Phone Number: (417) 847-4187 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2392/2391

What county is the stream in? Linn

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☒ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving ☐  
Tubing ☒ Kayaking ☐ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: Irrigation

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Fishing,

Wading - Swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Calton Creek Confluence - Bridge on FR 1135 - various areas from 1135 to Flat Creek Bridge on C Hwy and from Spring located 2 miles north from Hwy D bridge in McDowell.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming ☐ Playing ☐ Fishing ☐ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving ☐  
Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☐ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Yes, while swimming & playing, also feeding!

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

at Hwy C bridge, above & below & about one quarter mile above the bridge on Hwy C.

Signature Ralph & Bethal Williams Date 08-18-08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102, or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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# Recreational Use of Your Stream

RECEIVED  
AUG 26 2008  
WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Name: Truman Elin  
Address: 14238 FK 2045 - North, MO  
Phone Number: (417) 498-2378 E-mail address: N/A  
Stream name: Little Flat Creek WBID (if known): 2393-1391

What county is the stream in? Barry

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☐ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Children swim

& get water in mouth, wade etc. then ingest bacteria from fishing lure touch

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Bridge at 1135 and 50 yds above  
high "C" bridge - 100 yds above & below to Flat Creek

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving  
☐ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Same as above

& flipping canoe, paddle splashing

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Big hole at Hwy BB -

Signature Truman Elin Date 7-30-08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,  
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**"Beverly Johnson Sweeney "**  
**<tracker@mo-net.com>**

07/19/2008 04:30 PM

Please respond to  
"Beverly Johnson Sweeney"  
<tracker@mo-net.com>

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc

bcc

Subject Streams in Barry County

I strongly object to DNR exempting Little Flat Creek, South Fork Capps Creek and Carney Creek all in Barry County Missouri from adhering to the state bacteria standards. Many of my family members swim and wade in these creeks.

If the streams are exempted, sewer agencies and other facilities will be allowed to continue to release bacteria-laden water into it. Sewage that has not been disinfected may contain viruses, parasites and other pathogens that can make people sick with ear infections, typhoid fever, hepatitis, gastroenteritis, dysentery and other illnesses. Pathogens such as fecal coliform and e.coli bacteria are indicators of poor water quality and contamination with human waste. Water with elevated levels of these pathogens are unsafe for swimming or for children to play in.

Thank you,

15 members of the Sweeney family



**Little Flat Creek  
WBID 2393**

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  - McDowell (marked with a black dot)
  - Little Flat Cr (WBID 2393)
  - Little Flat Cr (WBID 2391)
  - Gunter Cr (WBID 2395)
  - Flat Creek (WBID 2387)
  - Calton Creek (WBID 2392)
- Roads:**
  - State Highways: BB, VV, U, C
  - Other Roads: 1107, 1110, 1112, 1118, 1135, 1150, 1165, 1170, 1142, 1120, 1100, 2030, 2047, 2057, 2060, 2070, 2080, 2085, 2090, 2095, 2100, 2105

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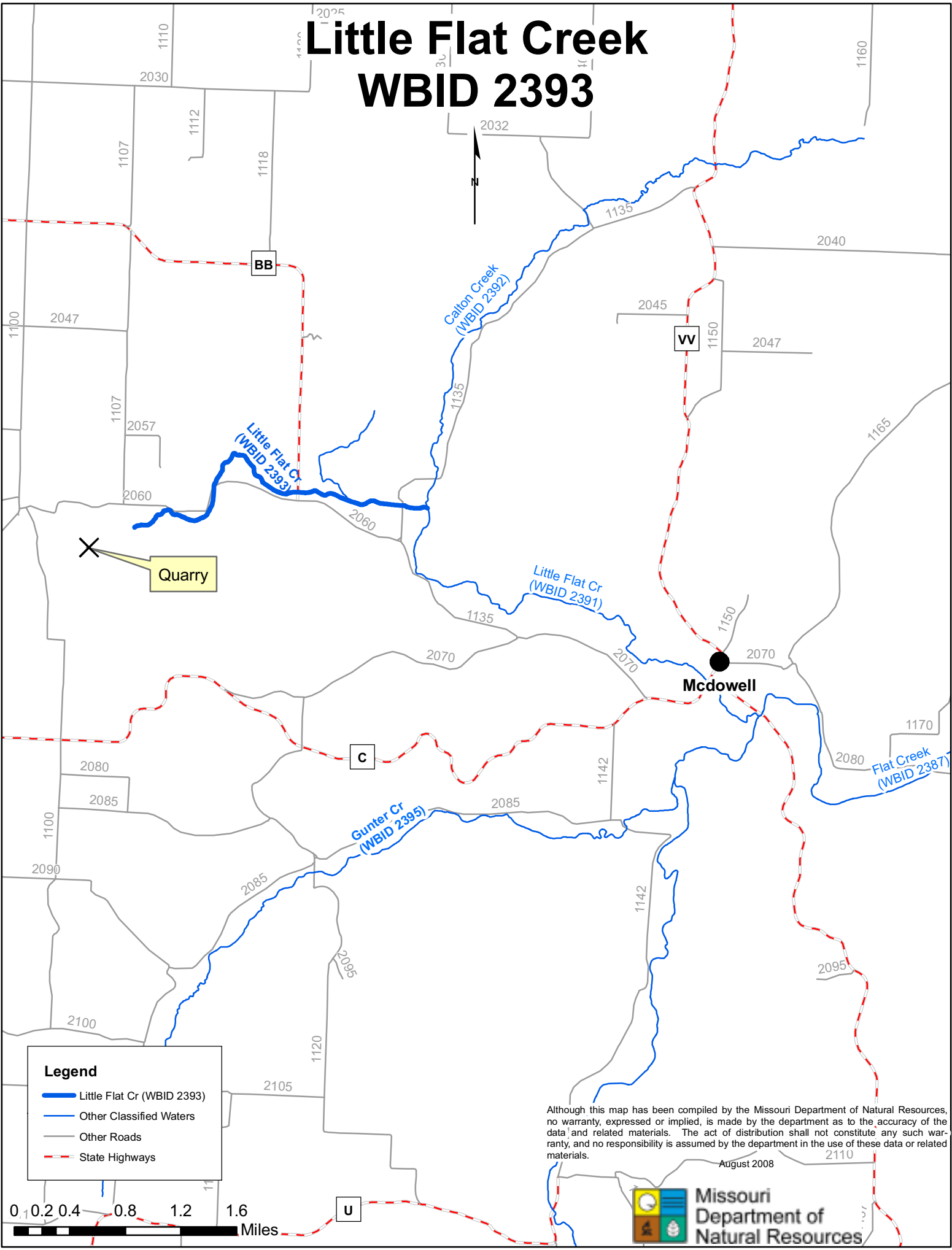
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